



SCAR Strategic Working Group on Agroecology SCAR-AE

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Workshop to launch the process to develop the SRIA

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Main tasks of the SCAR

European Research Area for agriculture, fisheries, food,
forestry & bioeconomy

Strategic
policy
advice

Developing a strong
foresight process and
insights

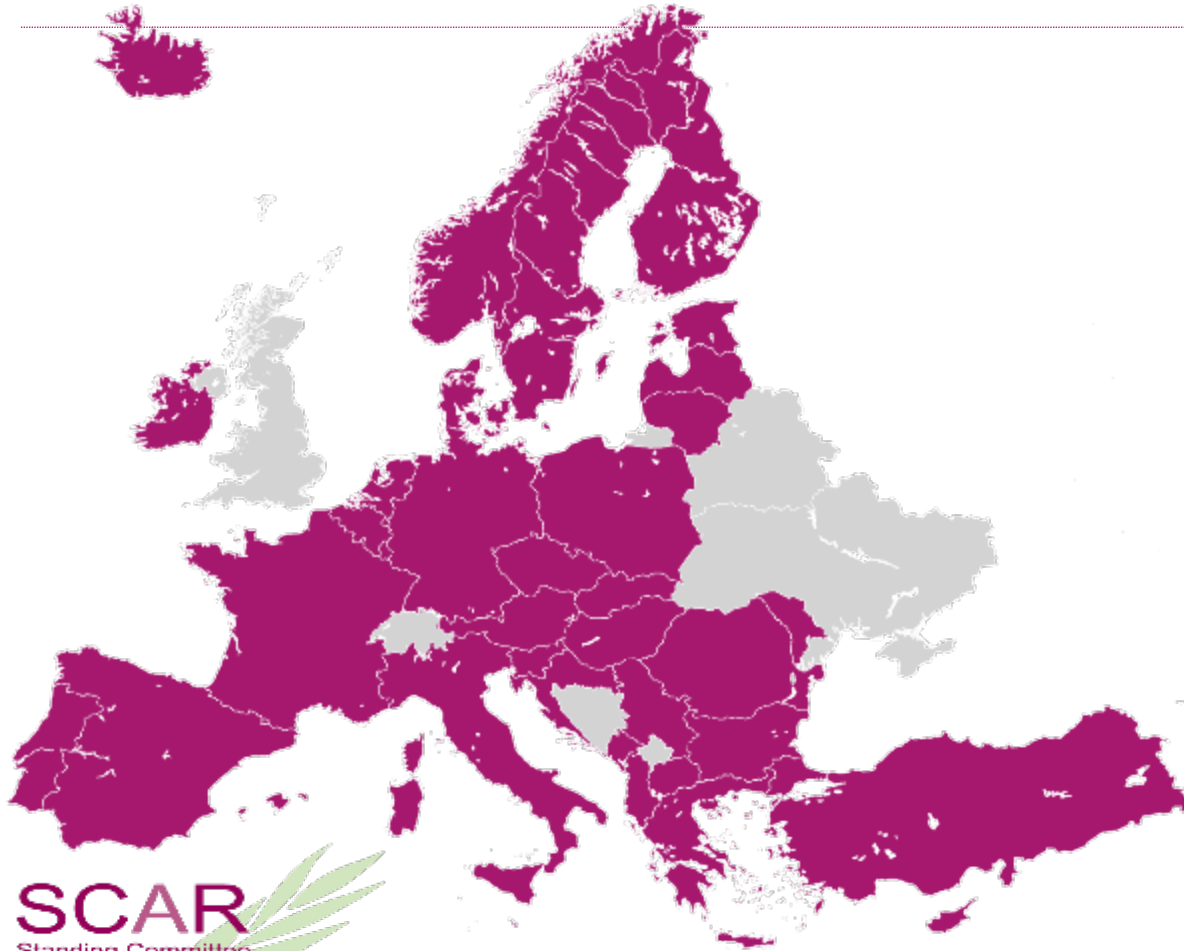
Developing common
research & innovation
agendas

Mapping and mobilising
SCAR research & innovation
capacities

SCAR
Standing Committee
on Agricultural Research



Who is SCAR?



Overview SCAR members - update March 2022

More than 35 countries:

- EU Member States
 - Delegates of ministries (mainly ministries of agriculture)
 - Organisations such as research councils, research institutes and universities
- Observers
 - Candidate countries
 - Associated countries

European Commission

- Secretariat
- DG RTD - Research and Innovation
- DG AGRI - Agriculture and Rural Development

SCAR Agroecology SWG

SCAR AE

Co-chairs

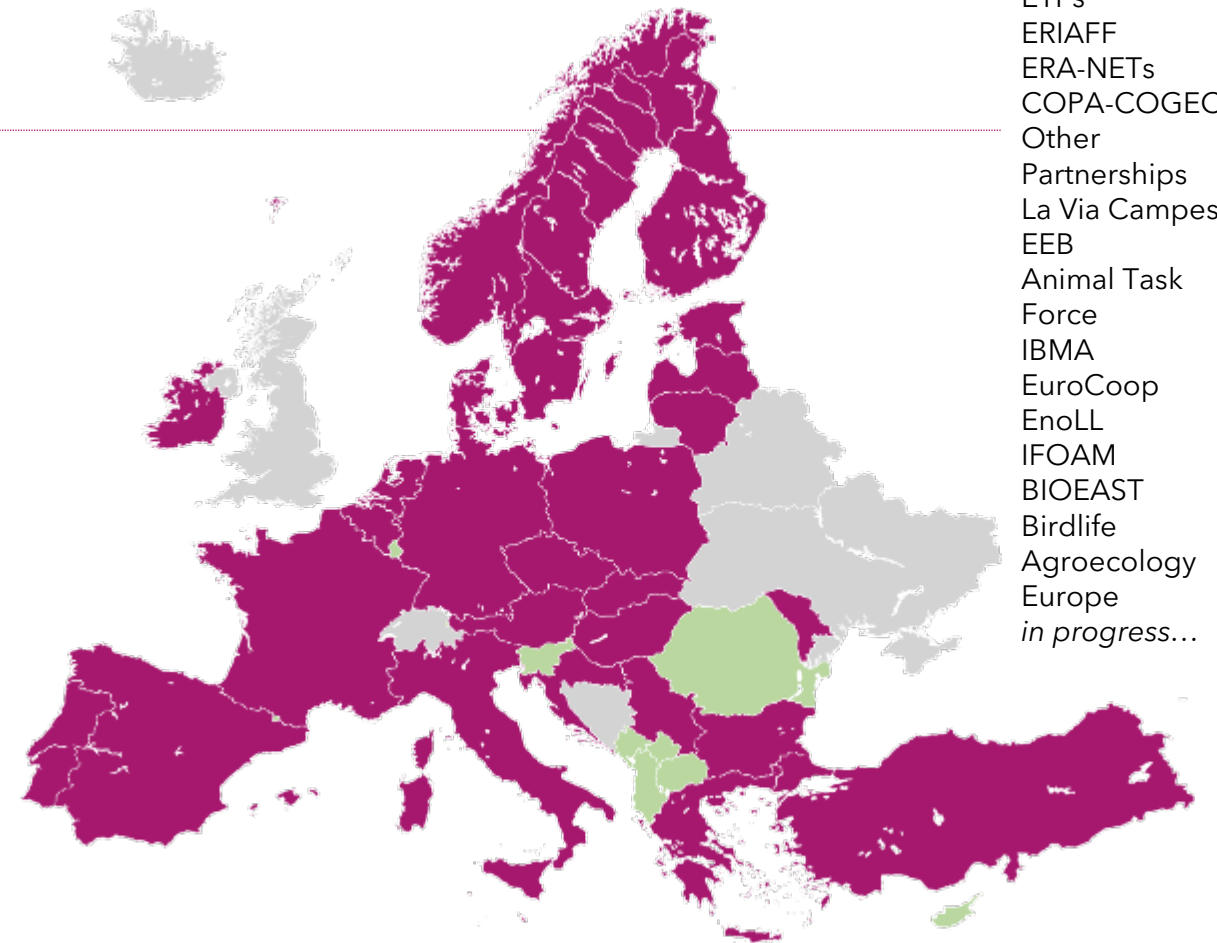
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Mandate period

1/1/2020 - 31/12/2023

Members

- 27 countries + EC and key advisors



● SCAR AE member ● SCAR member ● Not a member

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+ Observers:

SCAR WGs
ETPs
ERIAFF
ERA-NETs
COPA-COGECA
Other
Partnerships
La Via Campesina
EEB
Animal Task
Force
IBMA
EuroCoop
EnoLL
IFOAM
BIOEAST
Birdlife
Agroecology
Europe
in progress...

Mission of the SCAR AE

Support research and innovation policy development for agroecology (AE) at national, EU and international levels by

- Providing conceptual, methodological and practical frameworks on AE, AE Living Labs (LLs) and Research Infrastructures (RIs).
- Offering a platform for continuous strategic discussion between the EC, MS and AC as well as stakeholders on priorities in AE R&I.



Objectives of the SCAR AE

- **Preparing** the concept of the candidate partnership on agroecology living labs and research infrastructures proposed under Horizon Europe (provisional title “Accelerating Farming Systems Transition: Agroecology Living Labs and Research Infrastructures”), that will serve as a basis for the EC to
 - **Request** Member States and Associated Countries’ financial commitments to the partnership.
 - **Prepare** the partnership call in the work programme 2023-2024.
- **Developing** the Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (SRIA) for the partnership.

Thank you for your attention

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